61st Legislature HR0002



A RESOLUTION OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MONTANA ENCOURAGING AND COMMENDING EFFORTS BY MONTANA'S SCHOOL DISTRICTS TO DEVELOP AND IMPLEMENT BULLYING PREVENTION PROGRAMS.

WHEREAS, it has been well established that bullying is harmful to the mental health of both the victim and the bully; and

WHEREAS, the adverse effects on mental health can be extensive and long-lasting; and WHEREAS, existing bullying prevention programs have resulted in a significant reduction in bullying.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:

- (1) That the members of this House of Representatives encourage and commend efforts by Montana's school districts to develop and implement research-based bullying prevention programs.
  - (2) That the Chief Clerk of the House send copies of this resolution to every school district in the state.

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| I hereby certify that the within resolution, |         |
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| HR 0002, originated in the House.            |         |
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| Chief Clerk of the House                     |         |
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| Speaker of the House                         |         |
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| Signed this                                  | day     |
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## HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 2 INTRODUCED BY T. MCGILLVRAY

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